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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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FOR: **SCHNEIDWERKZEUG ZUR IN-PROCESS-REGELUNG DER RESTWANDSTÄRKE BEI DER AIRBAGSCHWÄCHUNG UND VERFAHREN HIERZU**



**ENCLOSED ARE:**

- (X) Specification (17 pages), Claims (7 pages/10 claims) and Abstract; **IN GERMAN**
- (X) two (2) sheets of Drawings; (Figs. 1 and 2)
- (X) Declaration and Power of Attorney; **UNSIGNED**
- ( ) Assignment to Heidel GmbH & Co. KG Werkzeug- u. Maschinenfabrikation;
- (X) Certified copies of GermanPat.Appli.No: 203 00 628.3 filed Jan. 15, 2003 and GermanPat.Appli.No: 203 14 281.0 filed Sept. 12, 2003 the priority of which is claimed under 35 USC 119;
- ( ) Small Entity Status is being claimed. (37 CFR 1.9 &
- ( ) Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 and \_\_\_ reference;

**THE FILING FEE HAS BEEN CALCULATED AS SHOWN BELOW:**

	Claims filed	Extra	SMALL ENTITY	or	LARGE ENTITY
Basic Fee			\$ 375.00		\$ 750.00
Total Claims	10	-20=	x \$ 9.=	x	\$ 18.=
Indep. Claims	1	- 3=	x \$ 42.=	x	\$ 84.=
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Respectfully submitted

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